

Uncle Harry Tells About The German War Dogs

mean, so I'll help you out by asking if you know about the German war dogs?"
"No," said Jimmy; "what kind of dogs are they?"
"Ah, said I'ncle Harry, "at last I have found a bit of news you haven't read. It isn't often I catch you."
The boys smiled. Uncle Harry continued:

You have often read of the famous Newfoundland dogs which the mo the Swiss convents used to send out to search for travelers who might be ex-hausted and freezing in the snowdrifts

in the mountain passes."

"Yes," answered Joe, "the monks used to fasten packages of food to the dogs cellars so that the travelers could get bite to eat before following the dogs to the convent."

"Right you are." said Uncle Harry. Right you are," said Uncle Harry. Perhaps it was from these dogs



the Alps that the Germans got the idea of training dogs to do similar work on the battlefield. The Germans wanted dogs that could

do this and also, on command, follow the scent of a man and if necessary the scent of a man and if necessary hold him from getting away. So they developed a breed of dogs that com-bine all the savage and sagacious qual-ities of the German butcher's dog and the Russian wolf-hound and the Ger-man terrier. This dog, called the pinscher, is a splendid fighter, fearless

man terrier.

pinscher, is a spiendid fighter, fearless and intelligent.

"It doesn't sound to me that a dog like that is going to be very kind and gentle." said Jimmy, who remembered what Uncle Harry had said at the beginning of the talk.

"Well." said Uncle Harry, "the Germans have trained these dogs to find the wounded men on the battleffelds after night has fallen and the firing ceased. The dogs, mind you, understand orders as well as men, and oney them better than some men.

"I was interested in reading a letter written by a German connected with

"That means more to me now then written by a German connected with the Red Cross. He received orders to hasten to a certain part of the front where the fighting had been heavy all day. His favorite dog accompanied him."

Industribles, espectative to animals. "That means more to me now then it over did before."

And Joe leaned eyer and stroked Ginger, the hove terrier, who winked his eyes drowsily and wagged his tell in appreciation.

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"I have something to tell you about | . " 'Look for wounded," said the officer. tonight." began Uncle Harry, "that you The dog understood. Off he went into boys are certain to be interested in.

All Boy Scouts who are familiar with the manual know that Scouts are expected to treat dumb animals with kindness"—Jimmy and Joe nodded their heads—"and, who knows, maybe the dumb animals have heard about it and have decided to treat men and boys with kindness in their turn."

The boys looked at Uncle Harry with wide-open eyes; what in the world was he talking about? Uncle Harry laughed.

"I see you don't understand what I mean, so I'll help you out by asking if you know about the German war dogs?"

"No." said Jimmy; "what kind of dogs are they?"

"Ah, said I'ncle Harry, "at last I have found a bit of news you haven".

"The dog understood. Off he went into the darkness, Then, in a few minutes, back he came on the run to his master. Good dog, said the officer, fastening a leather thong to his collar. Then off they went, the officer following the powerful dog with the help of the leash. "For several hundred vards they went at too speed. Then the dog stop-bed and the officer knelt beside a wounded soldier who had just strength to gasp. "God be thanked. Two days breviously he had been hit in the log by a Russian bullet. As he was binding it up another bullet broke his arm. All in the could do was to lie in the bushes, waiting and praying for help. At last it came. The war dog had found him. "The officer gave him some food and promised to send bearers with a stretcher. Then away went the dog again, only to come back and to guide the officer to another wounded soldier. boys are certain to be interested in. the darkness. Then, in a few minutes.

ficer to another wounded soldier.
"Thus hundreds of disablet and suffering soldiers are rescued from the tortures of dying of hunger and thirst and loss of blood. I like to think



about it: it is one little cheerful picure in the midst of this panorama of death and hate." Don't these dogs and the officers who have them in charge get hurt?" asked Joe.

"There is some danger, of course, Bullets are sincing post and shrapuel are bursting. But this rescue work is usually done at night, when the dess and the officers cannot be seen as, easily. And then, again, the allies apparently make it a joint not to fire on these officers and done; the Red Cress is respected on the hattlefield."

Jimmy had been gazing thoughtfully into the fire. As Uncle Horry stopped, he looked up and said:

"I should think that these men would be mightly grateful to the dogs who saved them."

Jimmy was thinking of the wounded asked Joe

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Jimmy was thinking of the wounded soldier who had hid on the battlefeld for two days and nights with a broken arm and leg.

"And they are," answered Uncle Harry. "Many, many of them nik to be allowed just to stroke the heads of the does that saved them before they are taken back from the front for treatment at one of the permanent hospitals. Poor fellows It's the only way they can express their graftiade,"

Joe had picked up his Scout Manual and turned to page 17.

"'A scout is kind to enimals," "he read. "Another scott trait is that of thoughtfulness, especially to animals."

"That means more to me now than

Mrs. Thomas J. Walsh was hostess

at a luncheon of thirty covers this

afternoon. The table was decorated

with masses of red roses. The guests

Another navy bud will make her bow

to society today, when Commander E

palms, and huge clusters of pink roses

will be used as decorations at the draw-ing room and throughout the first floor. Mrs. Tillman will receive the guests

wearing a handsome gown of cream-col

ored satin and rose point lace. Mis Tillman will be gowned in white chir to: hand-painted with red roses, mad

with a girdle of crystal and pearl trim-mings. She will carry an arm bou-quet of American Beauty roses. As-sisting Mrs. Tillman will be Mrs. Joseph E. Kuhn, Mrs. Dibrell, of Texas, who is

visiting Mrs. Charles Grayson Dulin Mrs. F. H. Kondrup, Mrs. Elliott Woods, Mrs. Harvey Tomb, Mrs. Her-bert Sparrow, Mrs. John Speel, Mrs.

bert Sparrow, Mrs. John Speel, Mrs. G. P. Williams, Miss Gladys Christy, of Annapolis; Miss Elisabeth Chase, Miss Susanne Chase, Miss Ellie Le-juene, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss

Miss Lucy Henry will give a luncheon on Locember 2e in compliment to Miss Filizabeth Chase and Miss Susanne Class, daughters of Capt, and Mrs.

luncheon on Saturday afternoon.

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ftems of Interest and Importance of Past, Present, and Future.

with masses of red roses. The guests included Mrs. Robert M. La Follette. Mrs. Thomas P. Gore, Mrs. Claude Swanson, Mrs. Henry F. Lappitt, Mrs. James E. Martine, Mrs. Harry Lane, Mrs. Henry L. Myers. Mrs. Atlee Pomerene, Mrs. James A. Reed, Mrs. John D. Works, Mrs. Ollie M. James, Mrs. Phillip P. Campbell, Mrs. Willard Sautsbury, Mrs. John K. Shields, Mrs. William H. Thompson, Mrs. Charles S. Handin, Mrs. Samuel Graham, Mrs. Kalliam Mrs. Samuel Graham, Mrs. Andreas Jones, Mrs. William A. Oldfield, Mrs. William C. Gorgas, Mrs. T. H. Carter, Mrs. W. W. Dixon, Mrs. T. A. Dobyn, Mrs. W. E. Safford, Mrs. Handis Taylor and Mrs. Waish's house guest, Miss Marie Stadler, of Helena, Mont. (Continued from Page Nine.) showing their insignia or by the preentation of identification card, which may be obtained at Memorial Continental Hall before 4:20 p. m. on Friday.

The Spanish Atheneum will be enterrained at the Peruvian legation De-cember 20 by the Minister and Mme. Pezet. The Secretary of State and Mrs. Lausing and many members of the Diplomatic Corps will be among the guests. Gen. and Mrs. Charles S. Fitzhugh

will give a dinner of twelve covers to night at their residence in Sheridan H. Tillman, U. S. N., and Mrs. Willman Mrs. Lawrence Townsend was the gress of Mrs. Ogden localet last night at the opera in New York city. With them was Mrs. Townsend's niece, Mrs.

will present their daughter, Miss Mar-gheritta Tillman, at a large reception at their residence in Q street. Ferns. Ituth Townsend, of Philadelphia, who will make her professional debut as singer this afternoon at Acolian Hall in New York. Mrs. Goelet wore light blue brocade. Mrs. Townsend was in dull red velvet and wore a relvet rosette of the same shade in her colffure. Miss no Townsend wore pale gray satin.

Mrs. John C. Grant, of Chicago, who has been visiting in Washington for some time, has gone to the Greenbrier Hotel, White Supplur Springs. ----

Countess Joseph Gizycka is making an indefinite stay in New .ork city, where she is staying at the St. Regis.

Mrs. Melville E. linguils and Miss Gladys lugalls are staying at the Ritz-Carlton in New York ity for several days, before coming to Washington.

The officers stationed at Fort Myer wift entertain informally tomorrow afternoon at a year dance at the officers. Hiss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Sutton, of Texas; Miss Charlotte Capters, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Sutton, of Texas; Miss Charlotte Capters, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Sutton, of Texas; Miss Charlotte Capters, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Sutton, of Texas; Miss Charlotte Capters, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Sutton, of Texas; Miss Charlotte Capters, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Sutton, of Texas; Miss Charlotte Capters, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Sutton, of Texas; Miss Charlotte Capters, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Sutton, of Texas; Miss Jean-ette Cowan, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Sutton, of Texas; Miss Jean-ette Cowan, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest, Miss Jean-ette Cowan, Miss Marjorie Helmbold, Miss Beatrice Dulin and her house guest.

Miss Rosalie Waters entertained in formally at a luncheon today in honor of Miss Jane Gregory and her house of Miss Mary Taylor and Miss Brig. Gen. and Miss. William L. Marguetts, Miss Mary Taylor and Miss Mary Taylor and Miss Mary Taylor and Miss Mary Bryan, of Texas. A dainty basket at a theater party tomorrow evening. shall will entertain at dinner at the Army and Navy Club on Thursday even ing, December 23.

Postmaster General and Mrs. A. S. Burleson will give a dinner Thursday evening, December 23.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Henry P. Mrs. Cain will be hosts at dinner tonight at the Army and Navy Club before the weekly dance. Others giving dinners at the Club tonight are Major and Mrs. James A. Shipton, Major and Mrs. James B. Duncan, who will entertain sixteen guests in nonor of Miss Georgia Schofield and Major and Mrs. J. J. Dickinson, who will give a party for the Misses Burleson. Misses Burleson

Judge and Mrs. W. W. Morrow will be the guests of honor at the dinner which Senator James D. Phelan will give to-

Senator James D. Phelan will give tonight.

Comdr. E. H. Tilghman, U. S. N., and
Mrs. Tilghman will chaperon a dinner
barry which John Jeffries will give at
the Chevy Chase Club on December 22
Mes. Wooten, wife of Major Will am
barry the other guests were Mrs.
Westernett. The other guests were Mrs.
Idward 3. Sturges, Mrs. Richard C.

A. F. Flagler and her house guest,
Mrs. Wolf, of Mobils Ala.

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Victor B. and Heulah Schorn, girl.
Bernard W. and Mary I. Nalley, boy.
Charles A. and Charlotte Lustig, girl.
Giovanni and Maddalena Lorenzette, girl.
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